



The Wildcat

1966





The Senior Class
of
John J. Wright



Presents

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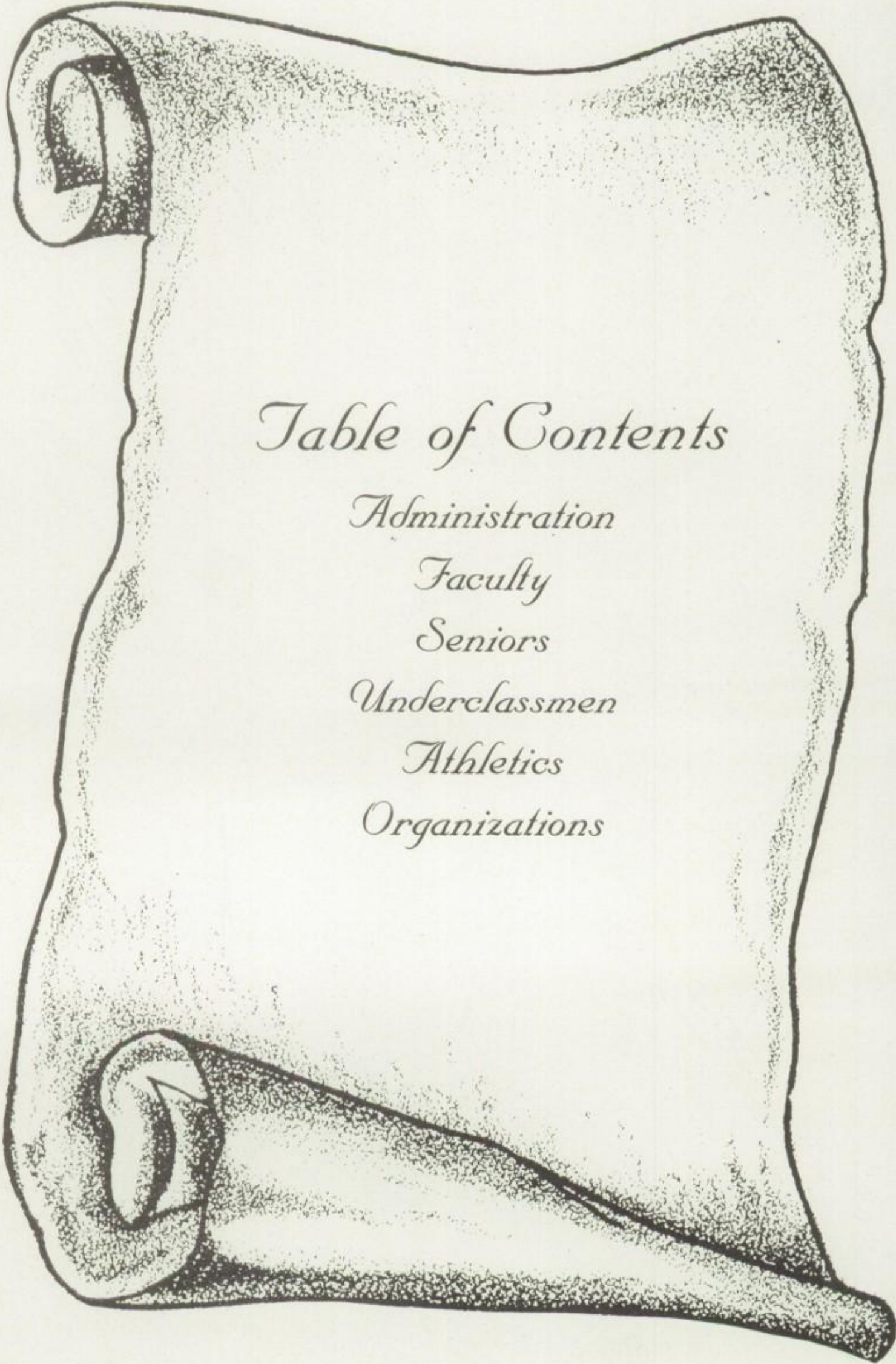


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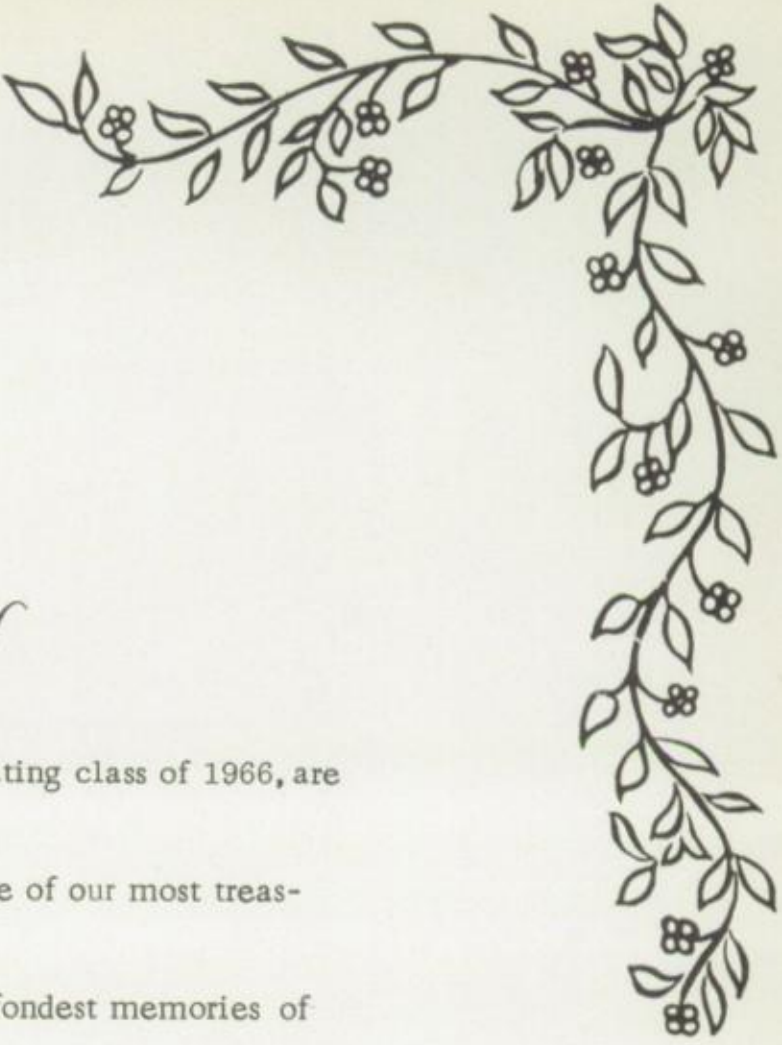
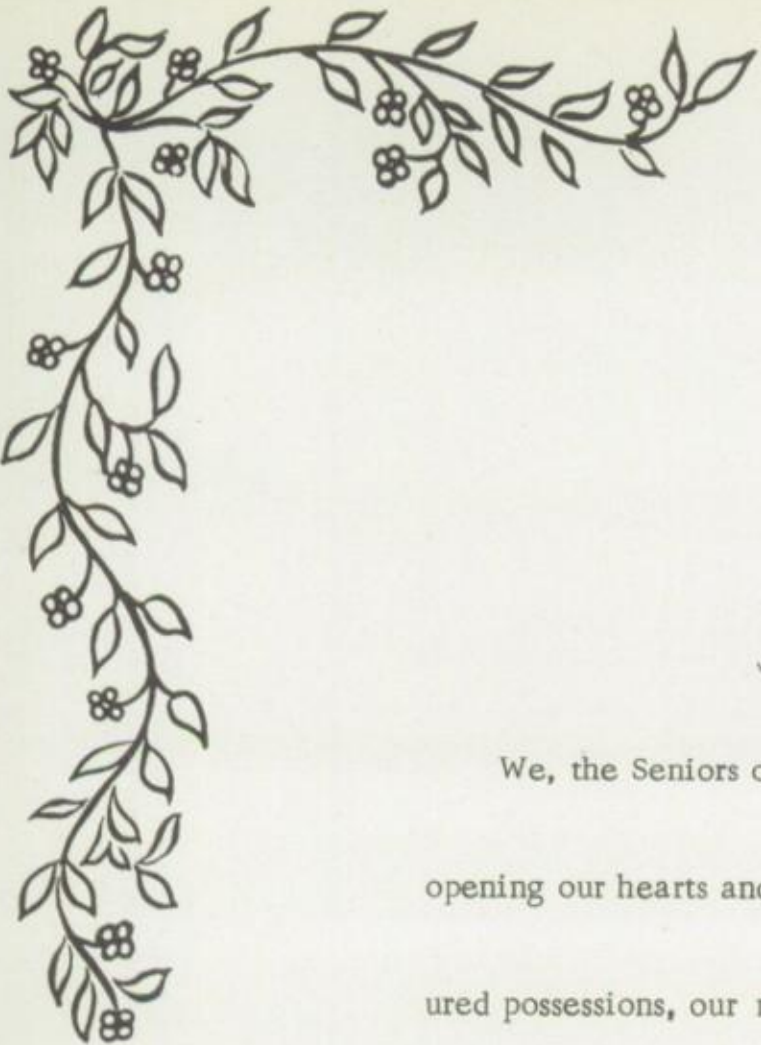
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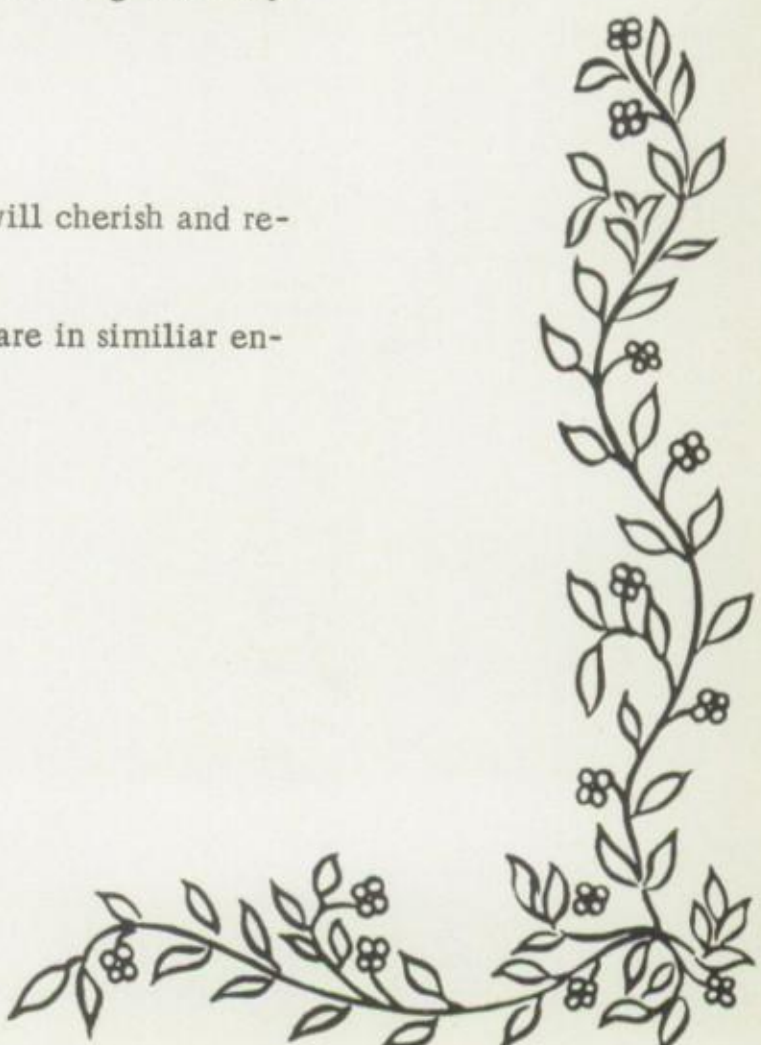
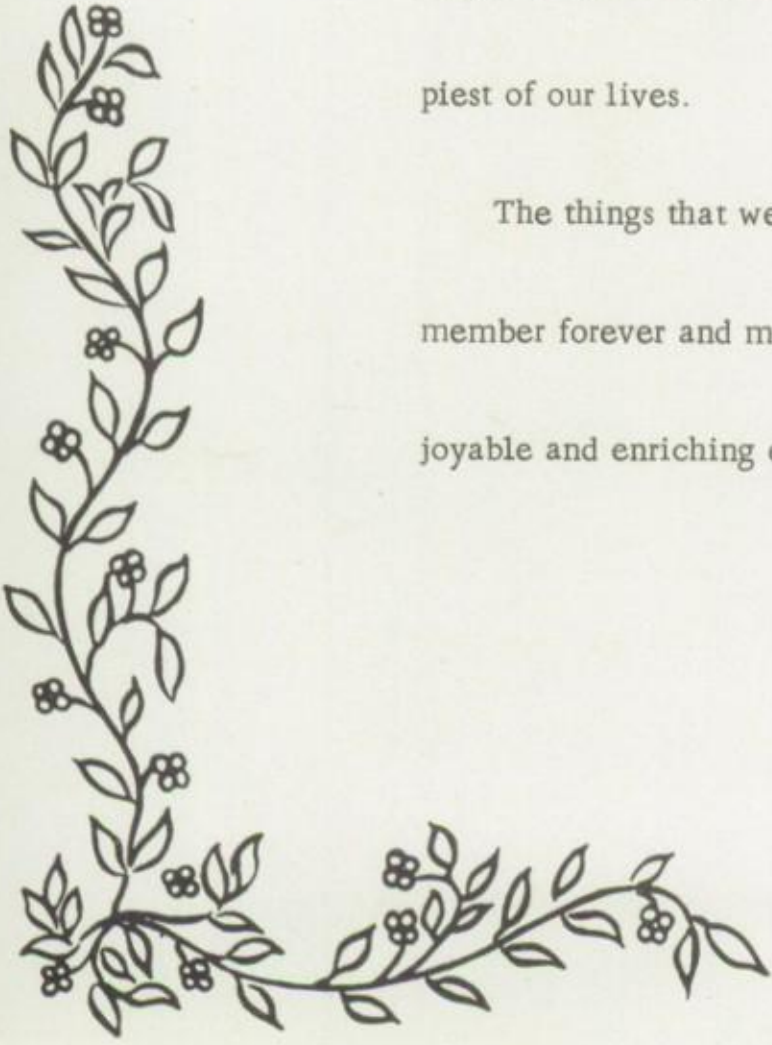


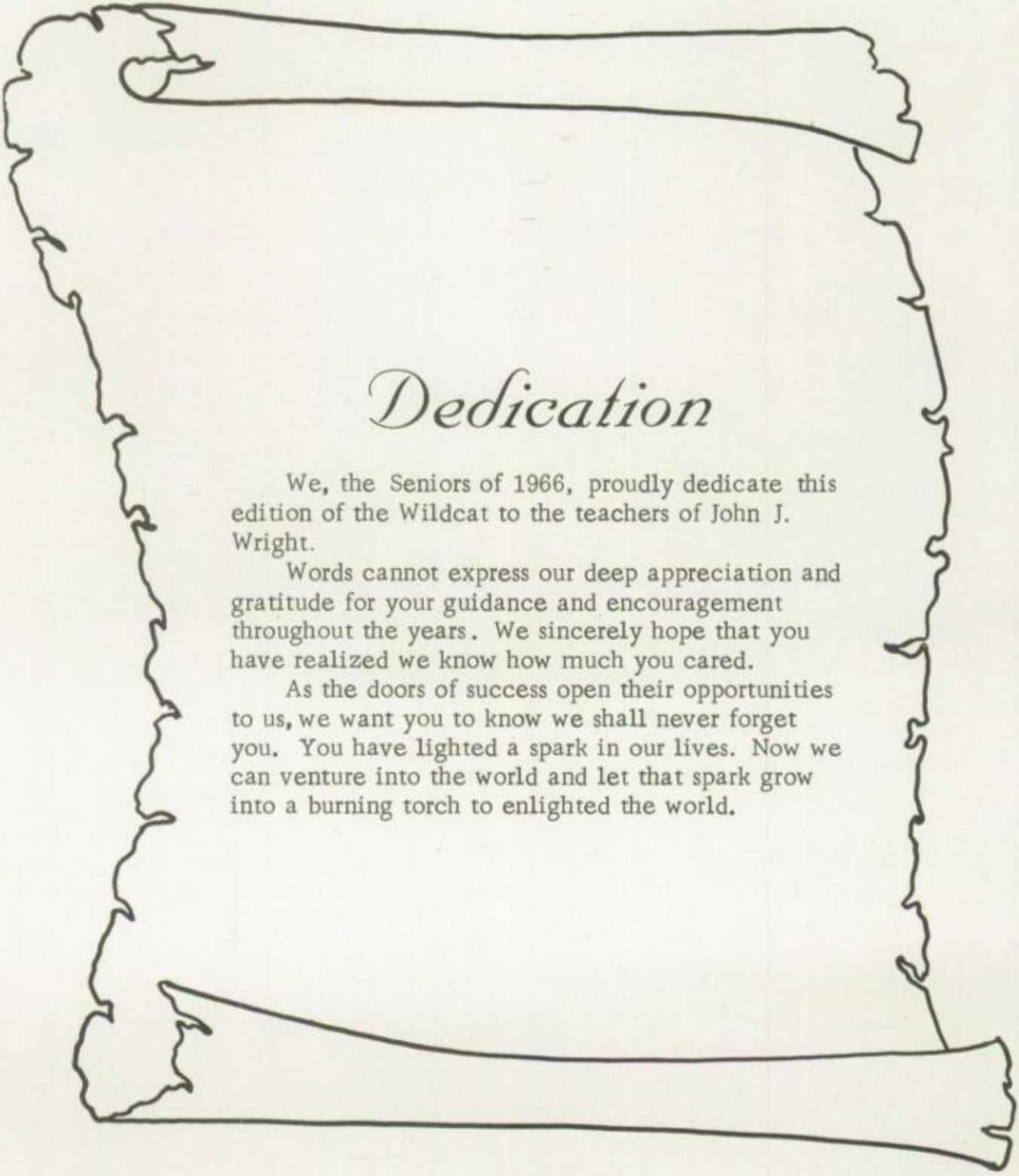
Foreword

We, the Seniors of the John J. Wright graduating class of 1966, are opening our hearts and showing to the world some of our most treasured possessions, our most intimate secrets, our fondest memories of the friends we made, the thrills we shared, and the knowledge we gained.

We wish to extend to our principal, staff members, parents and other interested persons, our sincere thanks for their faithful and moral support, and for their help in making our five years at Wright the happiest of our lives.

The things that we have recorded herein, we will cherish and remember forever and may the classes that follow share in similar enjoyable and enriching experiences.





Dedication

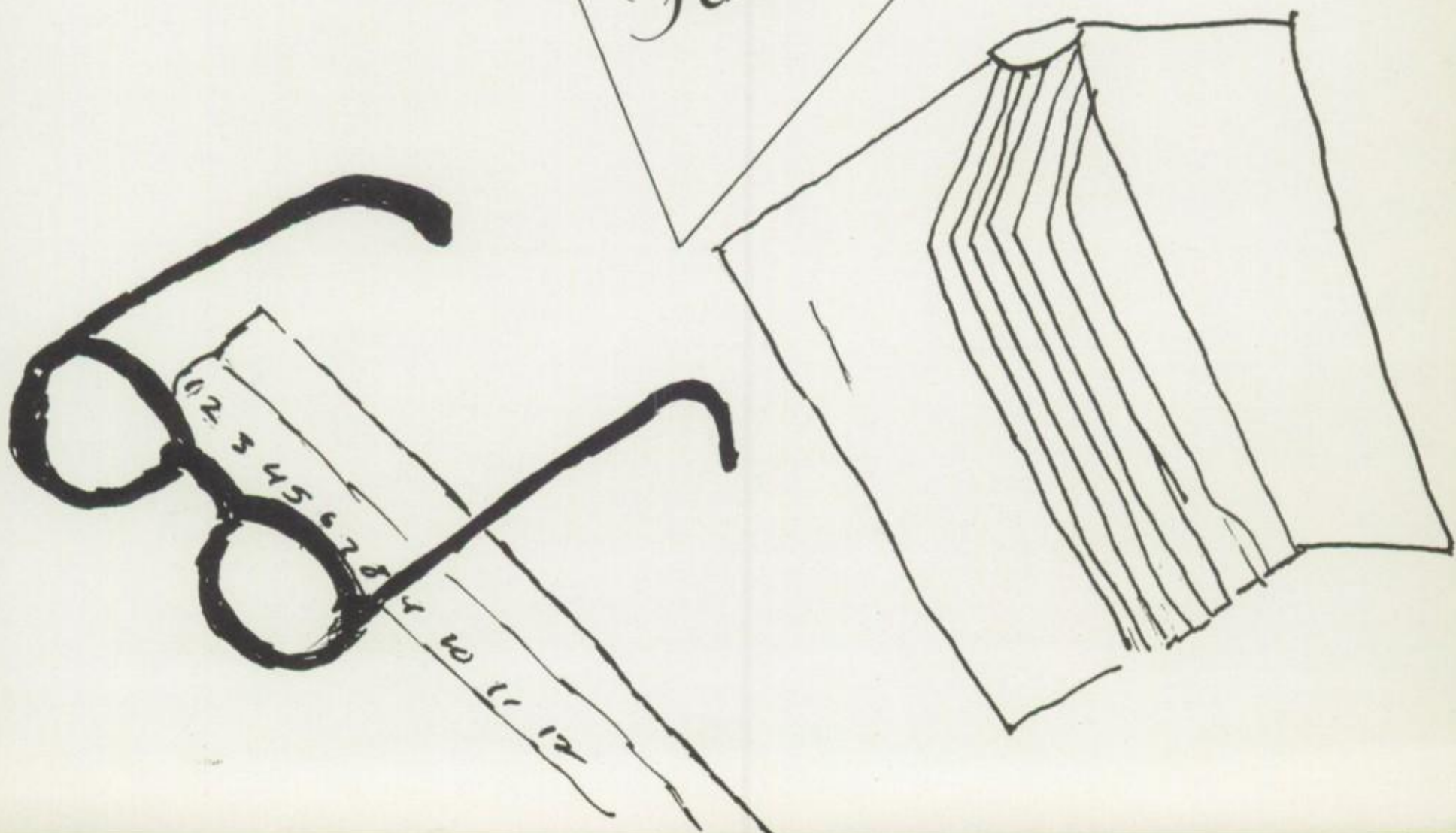
We, the Seniors of 1966, proudly dedicate this edition of the Wildcat to the teachers of John J. Wright.

Words cannot express our deep appreciation and gratitude for your guidance and encouragement throughout the years. We sincerely hope that you have realized we know how much you cared.

As the doors of success open their opportunities to us, we want you to know we shall never forget you. You have lighted a spark in our lives. Now we can venture into the world and let that spark grow into a burning torch to enlighten the world.

Wright's

Administration
and
Faculty



Superintendent



Robert W. Sparks, Jr.

SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS

Chairman	Mr. J. R. Alrich
Vice-Chairman	Mr. E. W. Sacra
Clerk	Mrs. Ann D. Roberts
Secretary	Mrs. S. C. Flippo Mr. J. C. Hawkins Mr. V. C. Dickerson
Transportation Officer	Mr. Frank Saunders
Elementary Coordinator and Reading Specialist	Mrs. Alice Hallberg
Supervisor of Maintenance	Mr. J. Crafton

Principal



Graduation is always a time that calls for seriousness of mind, reexamination of purpose, and evaluation of one's self. Graduation also marks a step toward preparing for life and leads eventually toward the realization of your goal. This, I am sure, is your ultimate aim.

The John J. Wright School has endeavored to build a foundation by which you are able to formulate plans, examine facts, and critically evaluate your aims and purposes. We have also tried to stimulate, motivate, and evaluate you each year. This, we realize, has not always been pleasant to you because at times we have had to go beyond your expectations to get you to utilize your abilities. We do realize, however, that each of you are endowed with a distinct ability that is different from your classmates or any other person attending this school. We have endeavored to get each of you to live up to your fullest capacity.

You are very fortunate here at John J. Wright to have teachers from many colleges and universities with unusual talents; teachers who are devoted to helping you develop, and do not mind working over-time to assist you. You are also very fortunate to have teachers who are willing to continue their education in order that they might be able to impart to you the latest trends and techniques.

We will miss you because we have really enjoyed working with you. Do not forget that it is up to you now to make a real contribution to our society, and to continue this human aspect of being able to work with people.

Congratulations upon your graduation from high school!

C. L. Conyers, Principal



Congratulations for having reached this milestone in your educational career. I have had the opportunity of watching you grow and mature educationally from pre-registration to graduation. Since guidance is that part of the total educational program which assists the individual student in developing a realistic concept of himself and society, and in setting and achieving goals consistent with his potentials, I hope that the guidance services rendered you by this school has helped you as an individual student to understand your abilities, interests, and special aptitudes.

I also hope that you have acquired the necessary information about educational and vocational opportunities which will assist you in making the necessary adjustments in your future careers. I would like for you to know that even though you have now graduated, our services will still be available to you.

May I wish for you a happy and prosperous career in your chosen profession. As each of you continue to grow, I hope that you will be able to build on the educational experiences gained here in reaching your highest peak.

Your Guidance Counselor
and Assistant Principal,
P. C. Rock



Mrs. Lillian D. Brooks
Secretary



Mr. T. B. Bowles
B.S. St. Paul's College
Elementary Education



Mrs. E. R. Boyd
B.S. Virginia State College
Public School Music



Mrs. E. B. Brown
B.A. North Carolina College
Library Science



Mrs. C. S. Bryant
M.S. Indiana University
Elementary Education



Miss M. E. Chandler
B.S. Knoxville College
Social Studies



Mrs. R. W. Comfort
B.S. St. Paul's College
History



Mr. W. J. Conyers
M.S. Florida A & M University
Health & Physical Education



Miss D. J. Darden
B.S. Virginia State College
Home Economics Education



Mrs. B. S. Easley
A.B. Howard University
English



Mrs. B. W. Fisher
B.S. Storer College
Elementary Education



Mrs. D. W. Franklin
B.S. Virginia State College
Elementary Education



Miss A. L. Frye
B.S. St. Paul's College
Elementary Education



Miss M. A. Frye
B.A. Virginia Union University
Social Studies



Mrs. A. W. Hankinson
B.A. Florida A&M University
Speech Therapy



Mrs. S. J. Harper
B.S. Virginia State College
Business Education



Mr. J. M. Haywood
B.S. Norfolk State College
Chemistry



Miss M. M. Hester
B.A. J. C. Smith University
Elementary Education



Mrs. L. W. Hubbard
B.S. Virginia State College
Health & Physical Education



Miss A. M. Jones
B.S. Winston-Salem State College
Elementary Education



Mrs. G. A. Jordon
B.A. Virginia Union University
Elementary Education



Mrs. L. T. Lewis
B.A. Virginia Union University
Social Studies



Mrs. R. K. Lightfoot
B.S. Virginia State College
Home Economics



Mrs. F. W. Lucas
B.A. Virginia Union University
Elementary Education



Mr. A. C. Mackey
B.S. Albany State College
Science Education



Mr. J. R. Means
B.S. Morris College
Mathematics

Miss F. P. Miller
B.S. Albany State College
Elementary Education

Mrs. T. O. Pryor
B.S. Virginia State College
Elementary Education



Mr. E. A. Ragland
B.S. Virginia State College
Agriculture Education

Mr. T. L. Richardson
A.B. University of Maryland
Music

Mrs. C. K. Richmond
B.A. Fisk University
Early Childhood Education



Miss C. B. Sample
B.S. Virginia State College
Health & Physical Education

Miss J. P. Sample
B.S. St. Paul's College
Home Economics, Science

Mrs. D. B. Stewart
B.S. St. Paul's College
Business Education



Mrs. G. G. Stephens
B.S. Tuskegee Institute
Industrial Education

Mr. E. M. Taylor
B.S. University of Maryland
Agriculture Education & Science

Mr. B. J. Thornton
B.S. Southern University
Health & Physical Education



Mrs. L. R. Thornton
B.S. Livingstone College
Business Education

Miss R. Washington
B.A. Virginia State College
Secondary Education

Mrs. D. W. Williams
B.A. Virginia Union University
Elementary Education



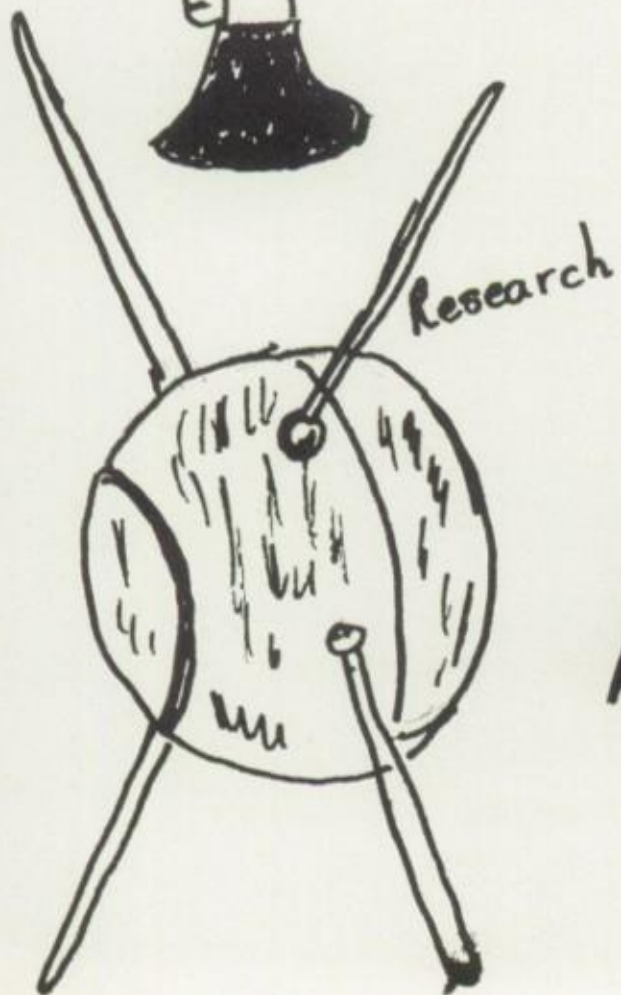
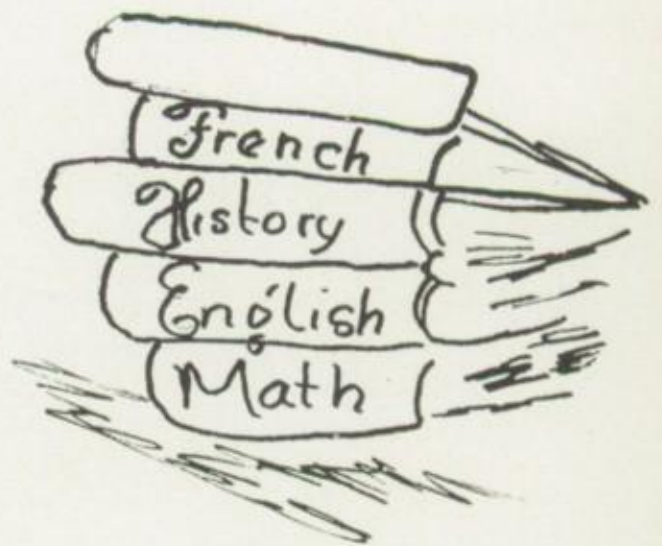
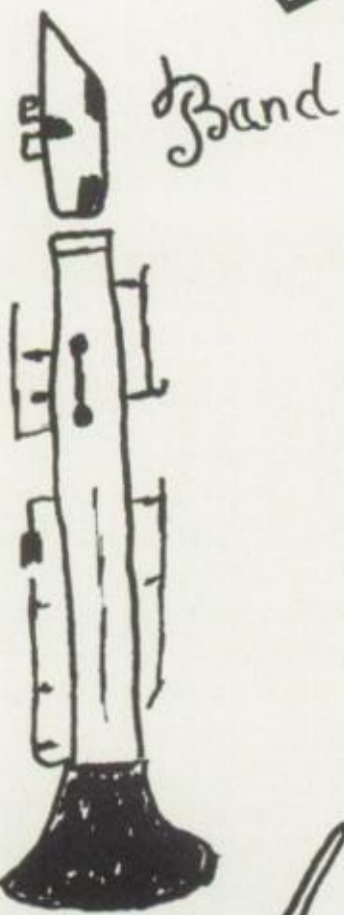
Miss G. S. Wilson
B.S. Virginia State College
Elementary Education

Mr. J. L. Woodard
B.S. Livingstone College
Mathematics & Science



Mrs. C. W. Young
A.B. Virginia Union University
French

Wright's



Class History

As we, the members of the graduating class of 1966, depart and go our various ways, we will never forget our profitable days at John J. Wright. These unforgettable memories we will cherish:

Our high school days at Wright began in September, 1961. We were fifty-three in number and were under the leadership of Mrs. Edith C. Ingram and Mrs. C. Johnson. The class officers for the year were: President, Larry Chin; Vice President, Rosetta Cole; Secretary, Jane Fairchild; Assistant Secretary, Ernestine Jackson; Treasurer, William Terrell. During that year our candidate, Jane Fairchild, won first place in the Miss John J. Wright Contest. We had a very enjoyable year because we were sharing many new experiences.

September, 1962, we entered officially as high school freshmen. Our two new sponsors for the year were Mr. O. B. Anderson and Miss E. Lockly who later became Mrs. Wilson. She was succeeded by Mr. N. B. Harper the following January. As class officers we chose: President, Shirley Minor; Vice President, Rosetta Cole; Secretary, Pauline Samuels; Assistant Secretary, Sheila Sample; Treasurer, Carolyn Thompson. The class was represented by Jane Fairchild, second place winner in the Miss Homecoming Contest; Sheila Sample, second place winner in the Science and Math Contest; and William Terrell, first place winner in the latter contest. The year went fast and we were out of school for the summer vacation before we realized.

In September, 1963, we were at the half-way mark of our high school career because we were "Silly, Silly Sophomores". Our homeroom teachers were Miss C. B. Sample and Mr. J. A. Thomas. The class officers were: President, David Sims; Vice President, Shirley Minor; Secretary, Rosetta Cole; Assistant Secretary, Altine Wright; Treasurer, Jane Fairchild. We won several honors that year. Leon Pratt won first place in the District N.F.A. Tractor Driving Contest; Helen Washington, first place in the Miss Homecoming Contest; and Louis Boggs, first place in the District and Judging Contest of the N.F.A. We parted for the summer full of glee and with great expectations for the following year.

We returned to school in September, 1964, as "Jolly, Jolly Juniors". The time had arrived that we had long anticipated. That year we had Miss C. B. Sample and Mr. N. B. Harper as sponsors. We chose the following class officers: President, William Terrell; Vice President, Altine Wright; Secretary, Helen Beanum; Assistant Secretary, Joyce Coles; Treasurer, Carolyn Thompson. This was the first ever in the history of John J. Wright to have a football team. We had nine members of the Junior Class to participate on this team. Sheila Sample won first place in the Miss Homecoming Contest. Shirley Minor was elected to serve on Leggett's Teen Board. William Terrell and Joyce Coles won first and second places, respectively, in the Science and Math Contest. We sponsored the 1965 Junior-Senior Prom, "Roman Holiday". Our high school days were nearly at an end.

Having been classified in September, 1965, as "Mighty, Mighty Seniors", we were bursting with joy and eagerness. We were eager to receive the diplomas for which we had waited an eternity. We were still under the guidance of our beloved Miss Sample. Our officers were: President, Paul Gatling; Vice President, Shirley Minor; Secretary, Altine Wright; Assistant Secretary, Carolyn Thompson; Treasurer, Joyce Coles. We held many honors that year. Joyce Coles was president of the Student Participation Association, the Future Business Leaders of America, the Dramatics Club, and the Wildcat Rhythmic Club. Louis Boggs was president of the Future Farmers of America, and captain of the football team. Shirley Minor was president of the Safety Patrol, and Shirley Williams won second place in the Miss Homecoming Contest.

The old saying "Anything worth having is worth waiting for" has been proven by our class. As we struggled to complete the course of study prescribed by the state, we realize that these years were not spent in vain. After having received our diplomas, we hope to lead successful lives keeping in mind our motto: "The highest peak is our greatest aim".

Louis Boggs
Sandra Fauntleroy

PEGGY ANN ALSOP

"Peg Leg"

Ambition: Stenographer
Library Club

BERNARD SHELDON
ANDERSON

"Johnny"

Ambition: Mechanic
FFA, Football, Baseball,
French Club, Science & Math

HELEN MILDRED BEANUM

Ambition: Artist
Science & Math, Band, Chorus,
FHA, French Club, Safety
Patrol

LOUIS TUCKER BOGGS

"Tucker"

Ambition: Agr. Consultant
FFA, KVG, Baseball, Bus
Driver

CHARLES RAY BROOKS

Ambition: Military Career
Baseball, Chorus, Science
& Math, Drum Major, FFA

LEVAUGHN BROOKS

Ambition: Secret Agent
FFA, Football, Chorus, KVG,
Science & Math



Seniors



HELEN LOUISE CANADA

"Lu"

Ambition: Elementary Teacher
Chorus, FHA, Library Club

ROSETTA MARIE COLE

"Rose"

Ambition: English Teacher
Band, Honor Society, Campus
Echo, Science & Math, Drill
Team, French Club

ROBERT EARL COLEMAN

"Bobby"

Ambition: Mechanic
FFA, KVG, Baseball, Bus Driver

ROSA ELIZABETH COLEMAN

"Baby"

Ambition: Accountant
Band, Math & Science, FBLA,
Safety Patrol

JOYCE JUANITA COLES

"Joy"

Ambition: Secretary
SPA, FBLA, Dramatics, Band,
Majorette, Rhythmic Club,
Campus Echo, Science & Math

MARION SANDRA
FAUNTLEROY

"Boo"

Ambition: Nurse
FBLA, FHA, Campus Echo



Seniors



Not Pictured

MARTHA ELLEN FERGUSON

"Pumpkin"

Ambition: Social Worker
Dramatics & Library Clubs

ARPHELIUS PAUL GATLING

"Rifle Legs"

Ambition: Concert Pianist
Band, Chorus, Dramatics,
Football, Science & Math,
Campus Echo

CAROLYN LEE HILLIARD

"Carol Lee"

Ambition: Nurse
FHA, Chorus

WILLIE HILLIARD

"Willie Rip"

Ambition: Mechanic
Band, Chorus, KVG, Football

CARLIECE SANDRA JACKSON

"Sandy"

Ambition: Nurse
FHA

ERNESTINE CAROL JACKSON

"Tina"

Ambition: Beautician
FHA, Chorus



MARGARET MARIE JACKSON

"Twitchy"

Ambition: Nurse
Safety Patrol, FHA, FBLA

THEODORE ROOSEVELT
JACKSON

"Teddy"

Ambition: Mechanic
FFA, KVG, Band

JANNIFER LEE JOHNSON

"Jan"

Ambition: Nurse
FHA, Library Club, Safety
Patrol

CLEMENTINE CLAUDETTE
KITCHEN

"Teen"

Ambition: Beautician
Chorus

JEAN ORIEL LEWIS

"Jeannie"

Ambition: Stenographer
Safety Patrol, FBLA, FHA,
Library Club

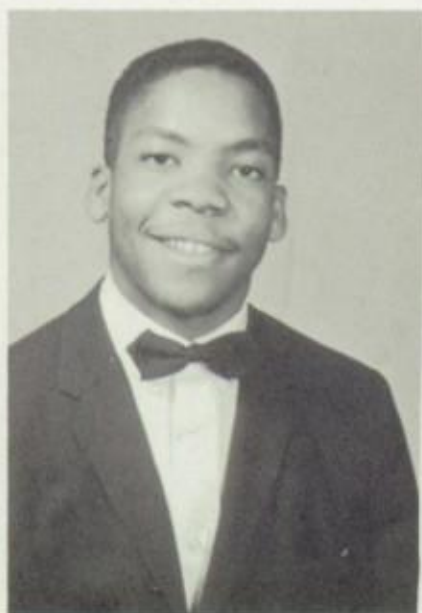
LEAH MAE LEWIS

"Top Cat"

Ambition: Beautician
FHA, Chorus



Seniors



MELVIN LEROY LEWIS

"Butch"

Ambition: Barber
FFA, SPA, Safety Patrol,
Football

MARGARET PAULINE
MARSHALL

Ambition: Nurse
FHA, Chorus

MARY LOUISE MINOR

"Ease"

Ambition: Singer
FBLA, Campus Echo,
Dramatics, Safety Patrol,
Science & Math, Chorus

SHIRLEY MAE MINOR
 "Geechie"
 Ambition: Sales Clerk
 Safety Patrol, SPA, FHA,
 Dramatics

CLARENCE EDWARD PARKER
 "Chance"
 Ambition: Military Career
 Football, Baseball, Basketball,
 FFA, KVG, Chorus

LEON NATHANIEL PRATT
 "Sonny"
 Ambition: Military Career
 Football, Baseball, FFA, KVG,
 Basketball, Chorus, Band



Seniors

SHEILA MARIA SAMPLE
 "Teet"

Ambition: Seamstress
 Majorette, Cheerleader, FHA,
 Science & Math, Safety Patrol,
 FBLA, SPA, Rhym. Club, Drill
 Team, Campus Echo

ROBERT BERNARD SMITH
 "Smitty"

Ambition: Mechanical Tech.
 FFA, KVG, Safety Patrol

GEORGE FRANKLIN TAYLOR
 "Juicy"

Ambition: Radio & TV Tech.
 Band, FFA, Football, Math &
 Science, French Club

JAMES LEO TAYLOR
 "Slim"

Ambition: IBM Operator
 Band, Chorus, FFA, Football,
 Baseball, KVG

MARY LEE TAYLOR
 "Tootney"

Ambition: Beautician
 FHA, Chorus

WILLIAM BURKE TERRELL
 "Stoney"

Ambition: Electronic Engineer
 Science & Math, KVG, Base-
 ball, Football, French Club,
 FBLA, FFA



CAROLYN DIANNE
THOMPSON
"Carol"

Ambition: Business Adm.
FHA, FBLA, Safety Patrol,
Band

MARY ELIZABETH WILLIS
"Big E"

Ambition: Secretary
FHA, FBLA, Dramatics

GLADYS ELIZABETH WOOD
"Gidget"

Ambition: Social Worker
FHA, FBLA, Campus Echo,
Cheerleader

SHIRLEY ELIZABETH WILLIAMS
"Tweedy"

Ambition: Stenographer
FHA, FBLA, Campus Echo

ALTINE ELAINE WRIGHT
"Teena"

Ambition: Clerk Typist
FHA, FBLA, Campus Echo,
Safety Patrol, SPA



Seniors

Class Colors: Burgundy and Pink

Class Flower: Pink Carnation

Motto: "The highest peak is our greatest aim".



Reunion in '76

Ten years ago the class of '66 received their most coveted diplomas. From the four corners of the earth, the faithful members returned to their Alma Mater for a first reunion. Altine Wright, acting as secretary, had the pleasure of recording the endeavors of the Seniors of '66.

In the theatrical world, Paul Gatling, an outstanding concert pianist, has performed annually at Carnegie Hall, and Mary Minor has just received her third Golden Record.

Rosetta Cole, head of the English Department at Fisk University, received her Ph.D. at Sorbonne University.

Helen Beanum has completed her masterpiece, "La Donna Lisa". It is on display at one of Paris' most famous art galleries.

Career-wise, Joyce Coles receives a big "bang" every time a rocket leaves the launching pad at Cape Kennedy where she is a private secretary. Incidentally, William Terrell is an electrical engineer at the same location. Carolyn Thompson is the personal secretary of the Secretary of State; Mary Willis is secretary at the Hecht Company; and Shirley Williams and Peggy Alsop are stenographers in the Treasury Department.

Sheila Sample, a most stunning young lady, is a leading fashion designer. She is a favorite customer in Madame Jackson's Beauty Parlor. Ernestine has employed Mary Taylor, Leah Lewis and Clementine Kitchen as operators.

In the Armed Services, Charles Brooks is a major; Clarence Parker, a first lieutenant; and Leon Pratt, a captain. Melvin Lewis, the first of our graduating class to be called by "Uncle Sam", is now owner of several tonsorial parlors.

Bernard Anderson, Theodore Jackson, Robert Coleman, Willie Hilliard and George Taylor, employees at Ford Motor Company's main plant, are creators of the two new Jaguars that they drove to the reunion.

Leo Taylor is employed by Temple Business College to instruct students how to operate IBM Machines.

Shirley Minor is now the owner of Leggett's Department Store.

At D. C. General Hospital, Carolyn Hilliard, Carliece Jackson, and Margaret Jackson are working as practical nurses. Pauline Marshall, Sandra Fauntleroy, and Jannifer Johnson are Registered Nurses at the University Hospital in Baltimore.

Dedicating their lives to social work are Gladys Wood and Martha Ferguson.

Levaughn Brooks, Agent 007, works for UNCLE. Rosa Coleman is top accountant for the same organization.

Altine Wright is clerk-typist at Cortez Peters.

Recorded herewith are the accomplishments of the Senior Class of '66. We anticipate an even more outstanding reunion in '86.

Recording Secretary,
Altine Wright

The Things We Leave Behind

As the years pass on, we still find many people whose lives have been made happy by simple tokens left or willed to them by dearly beloved friends. We too shall leave some cherished possessions and memories to bring happiness to those we love.

The Senior Class will to our Principal and staff members our sincere thanks for their faithful guidance and moral support; to the Junior class, our dignity; to the Sophomore class, our intellectual aptitudes; to the remaining classes, our congenial attitudes; and to dear J. J. Wright, a backdrop for the stage.

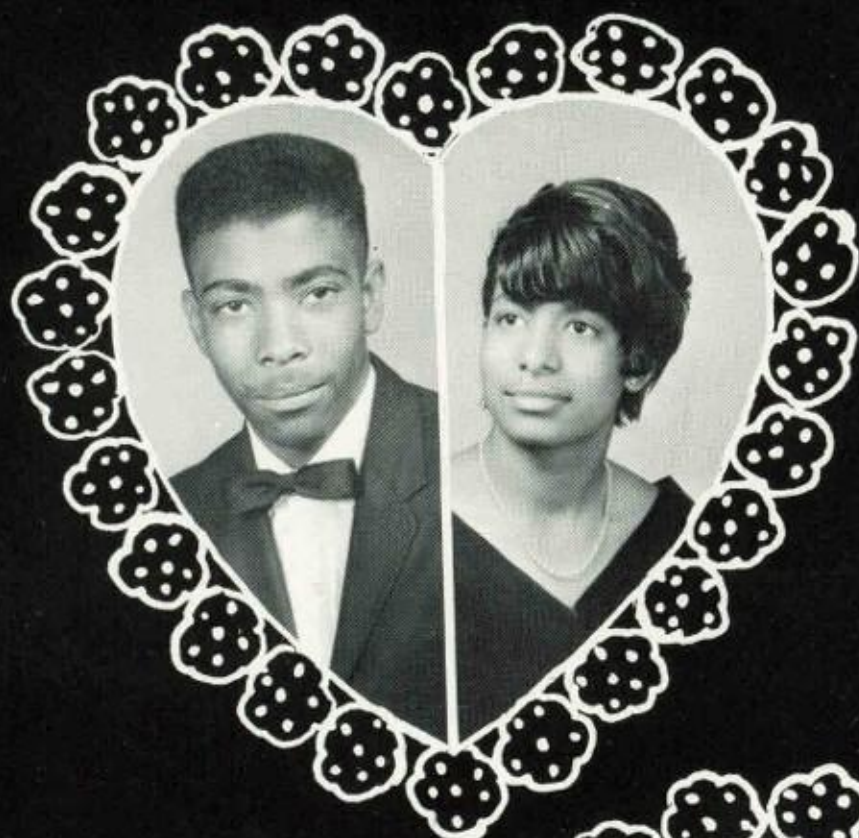
These individuals leave the following wills behind:

CLARENCE PARKER wills his ability to keep a girlfriend to Peyton Hawthorne.
LEON PRATT wills his 60 yard kicking foot to any boy in the Junior class who can better this kick in every game next year.
PAUL GATLING wills his ability to solve math problems to Rosanne Broaddus.
LEVAUGHN BROOKS wills his ability to dance to Roger Wortham.
LOUIS BOGGS wills his weight and agility to James French.
MELVIN LEWIS wills his sweaters to Nathaniel Parker.
BERNARD ANDERSON wills his ability to make the football team in his Senior year to Richard Beanum.
JAMES TAYLOR wills his position as base drummer in the band to William Ross.
WILLIE HILLIARD wills his bus driving position to any student who has taken Drivers' Education.
ROBERT COLEMAN wills his ability to stay out of the office to Gelette McCall.
CHARLES BROOKS wills his conducting ability to Fred Parker.
THEODORE JACKSON wills his mechanic ability to William Coleman.
WILLIAM TERRELL wills his ability to play football to William Ross.
GEORGE TAYLOR wills his eye glasses to Samuel Coleman.
ROBERT SMITH wills his seat in biology to anyone who can pass his reports in on time.
CLEMETINE KITCHEN wills her eyes to Hilda Minor.
JOYCE COLES wills her position as Student Council president to Wesley Watkins.
HELEN BEANUM wills her artistic ability to Charles Johnson.
ROSETTA COLE wills her ability to pass English to all the Juniors.
ALTINE WRIGHT wills her office practice position to Roganna Howard.
SANDRA FAUNTLEROY wills her hair cut to Sarah Washington.
JANNIFER JOHNSON wills her sweet personality to Rosanne Broaddus.
LEAH LEWIS wills her height to James French.
PAULINE MARSHALL wills her ability to get along with others to Vern Lewis.
MARAGRET JACKSON wills her hair to Hilda Lawson.
ERNESTINE JACKSON wills her voice to James Coleman.
CAROLYN THOMPSON wills her ambition to succeed in life to all Junior girls.
MARY MINOR wills her many hair styles to Constance Carter.
CAROLYN HILLIARD wills her ability to finish school to Roger Alsop.
HELEN CANADA wills her twelfth grade books to James Canada.
SHEILA SAMPLE wills her baton to Edith Cook.
CARLIECE JACKSON wills her legs to Alice Banks.
JEAN LEWIS wills her short hair to Carolyn Lewis.
SHIRLEY MINOR wills her typing ability to Adelaide Smith.
SHIRLEY WILLIAMS wills her job at Holiday Inn to Sylvia Ellis.
GLADYS WOOD wills her boyfriend to any junior girl that has the power to get and keep him.
MARY WILLIS wills her religious outlook on life to Arnisha Coleman.
MARTHA FERGUSON wills her ability to stay awake in class to Wesley Watkins.
PEGGY ALSOP wills her freckles to Diane Taylor.
ROSA COLEMAN wills her monitor position in the cafeteria to Sandra Lewis.
MARY TAYLOR wills her quietness to Vern Lewis.

Sheila Sample

Superlatives

BEST ATHLETES



TALLEST

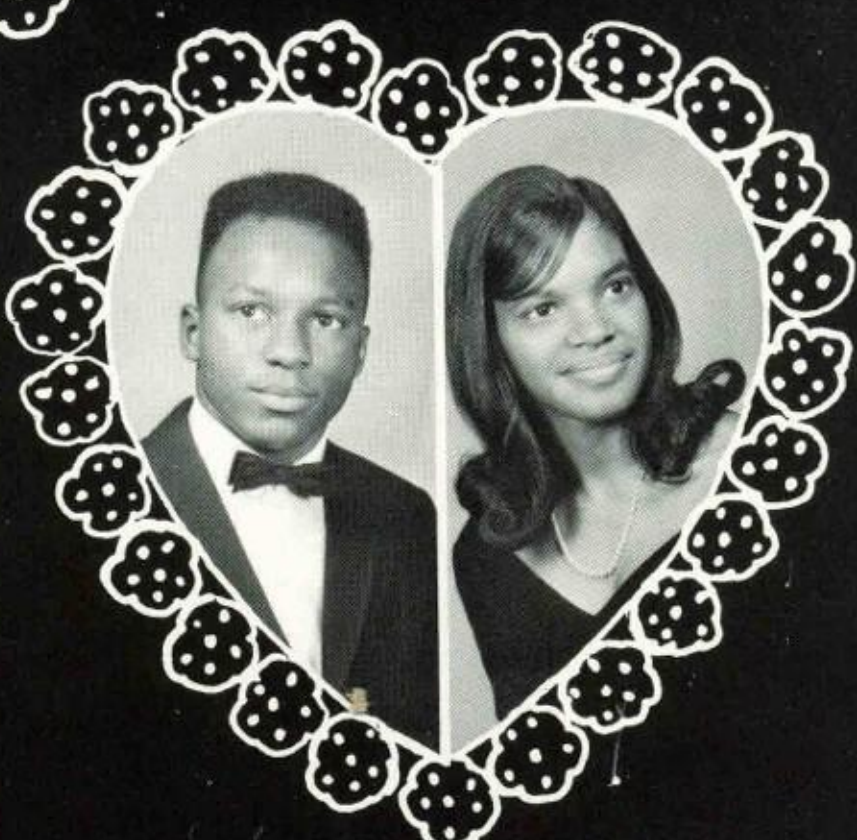


By
Mary Minor
and
Altine Wright

MOST TALKATIVE



BEST DRESSED



Superlatives

CUTEST

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

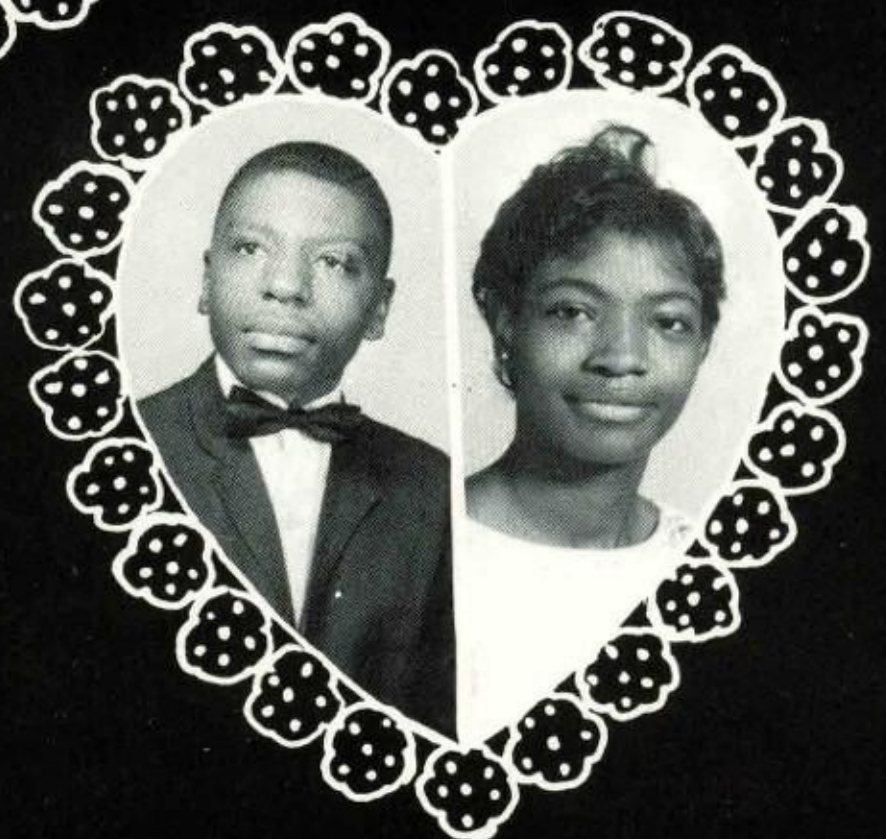
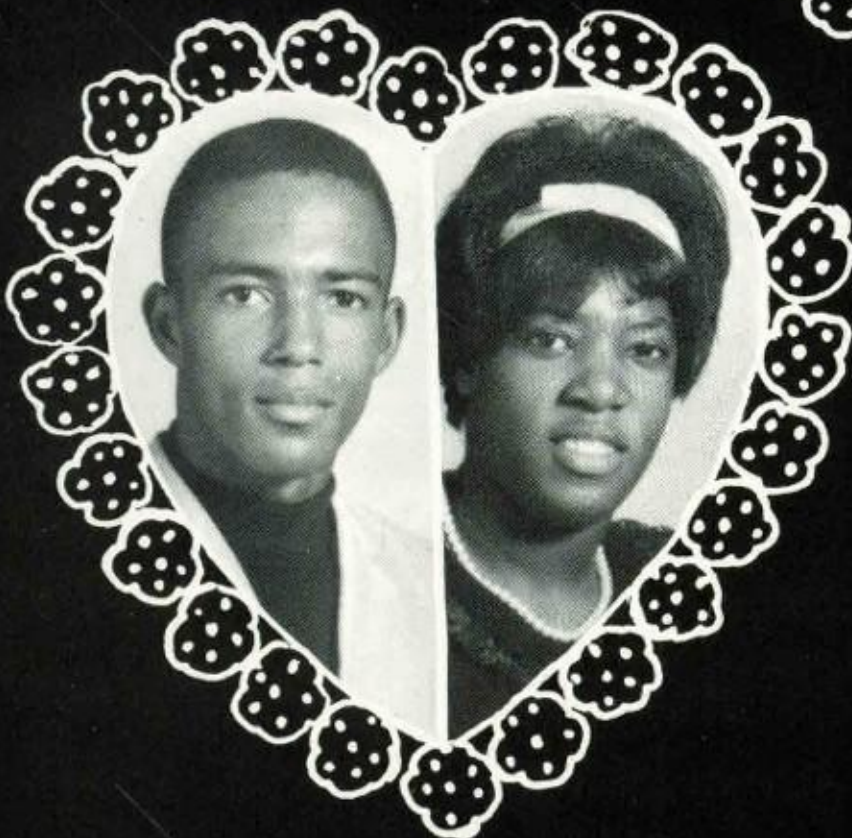


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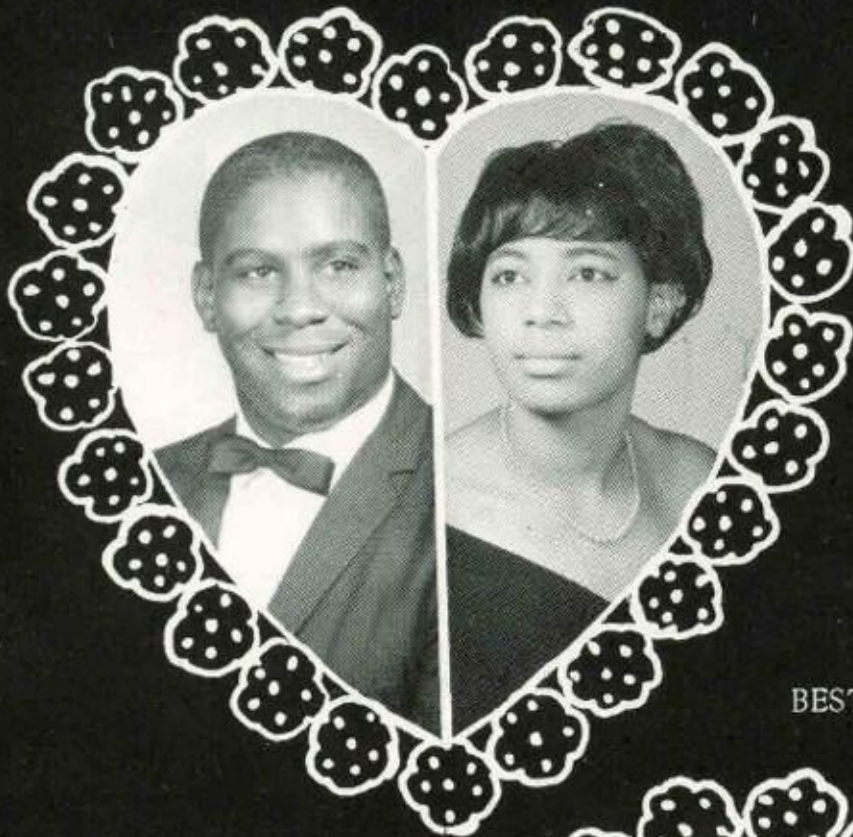
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QUIETEST



Superlatives

MOST MUSICAL



SHORTEST



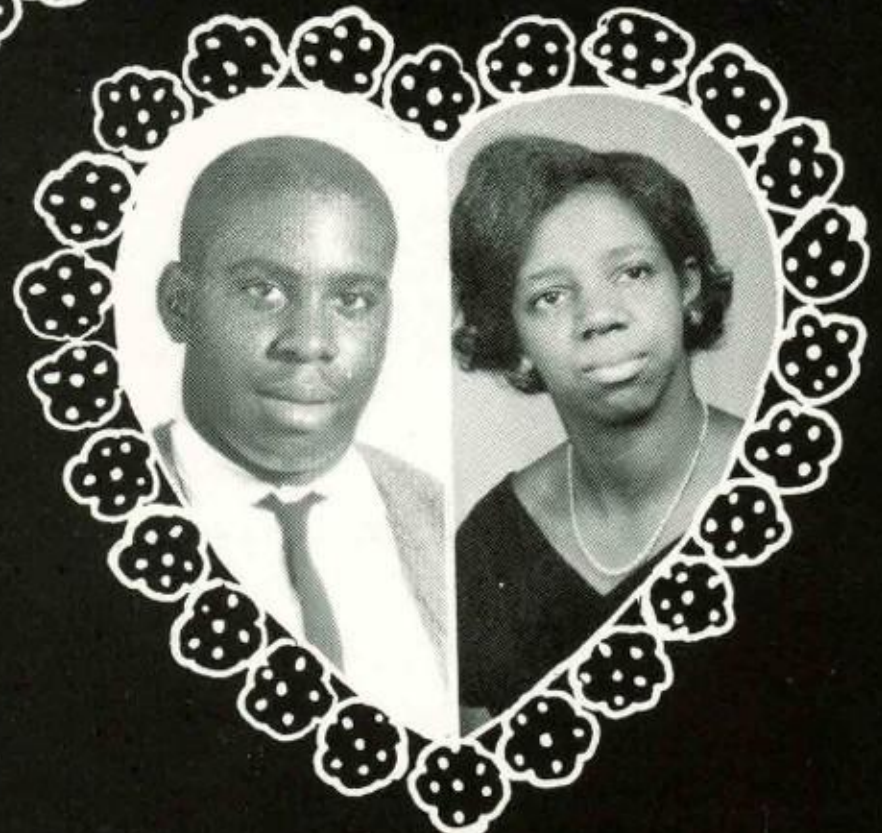
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MOST DEPENDABLE



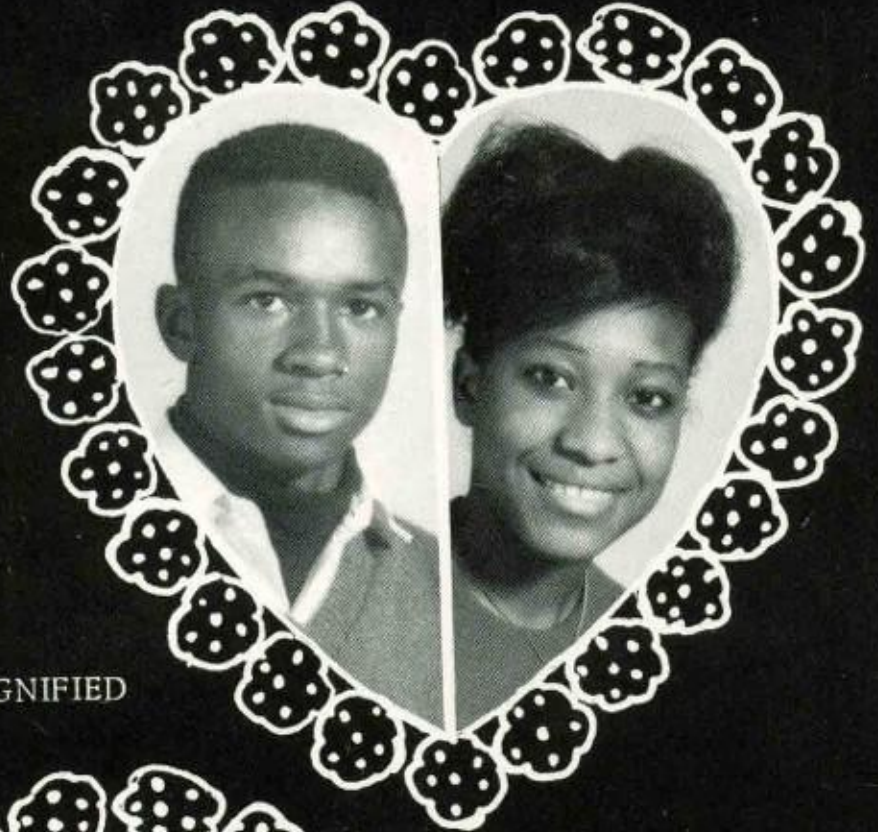
MOST COMICAL



Superlatives

CLASS MISERS

MOST POPULAR

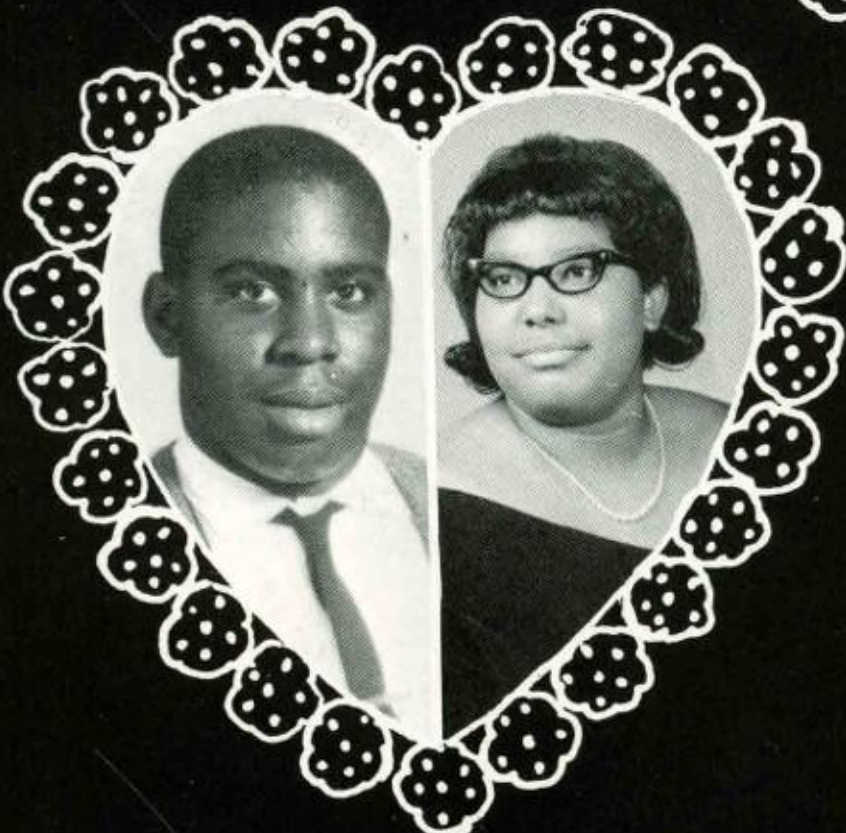


MOST DIGNIFIED



LARGEST

SMALLEST



Class Song

Tune: You'll Never Walk Alone

When we leave John J. Wright,
We'll hold our heads up high,
And we'll never be ashamed to look back.
We were always at home
Even though we seemed to roam,
And the days spent at Wright were happy and bright.
We'll walk on through the wind,
We'll walk on through the rain,
Yet our aims we'll strive to reach.
We'll walk on, yes, walk on
With the faculty in our hearts
And we'll never walk alone, We'll never walk alone.

We will miss Senior Math, English,
Band and chorus, too,
And the weeks spent in shop,
French and gym.
Though our teachers tossed and turned
Helping us to strive to learn,
We are proud to be successful scholars of Wright.
We'll walk on through the wind,
We'll walk on through the rain,
Proud to be the leading students of our school.
We'll walk on, yes, walk on
With our parents in our hearts
Then we'll never walk alone, We'll never walk alone.

When we leave dear ole Wright,
We will stand tall and proud,
That we've finished a job that began twelve years ago.
If our parents had not been thinking
Of the future for their children
We would never have steered in the right path.
We'll walk on through the wind,
We'll walk on through the rain,
Proud to be the Seniors of Sixty-six.
We'll walk on, yes, walk on
With God in our hearts,
And we'll never walk alone, We'll never walk alone.

Arphelius Gatling

Class Poem

TREASURED MEMORIES

Through the years we strived to be,
A class with profound dreams and unique destinies.
Through determination we reached a set goal;
Yet some of our efforts and thoughts remain untold.

We have treasured memories of the past school years,
Of happiness, disappointments, and even fears.
Fears, that our true characters we did not manifest,
Fears, that we, while striving, did not do our best.

Among the treasured memories we hold so dear
Are our principals, teachers, parents, and friends far and near.
We are grateful, oh! how grateful, to them for all they've done,
We are proud of the goal we've reached, but the struggle
Has just begun.

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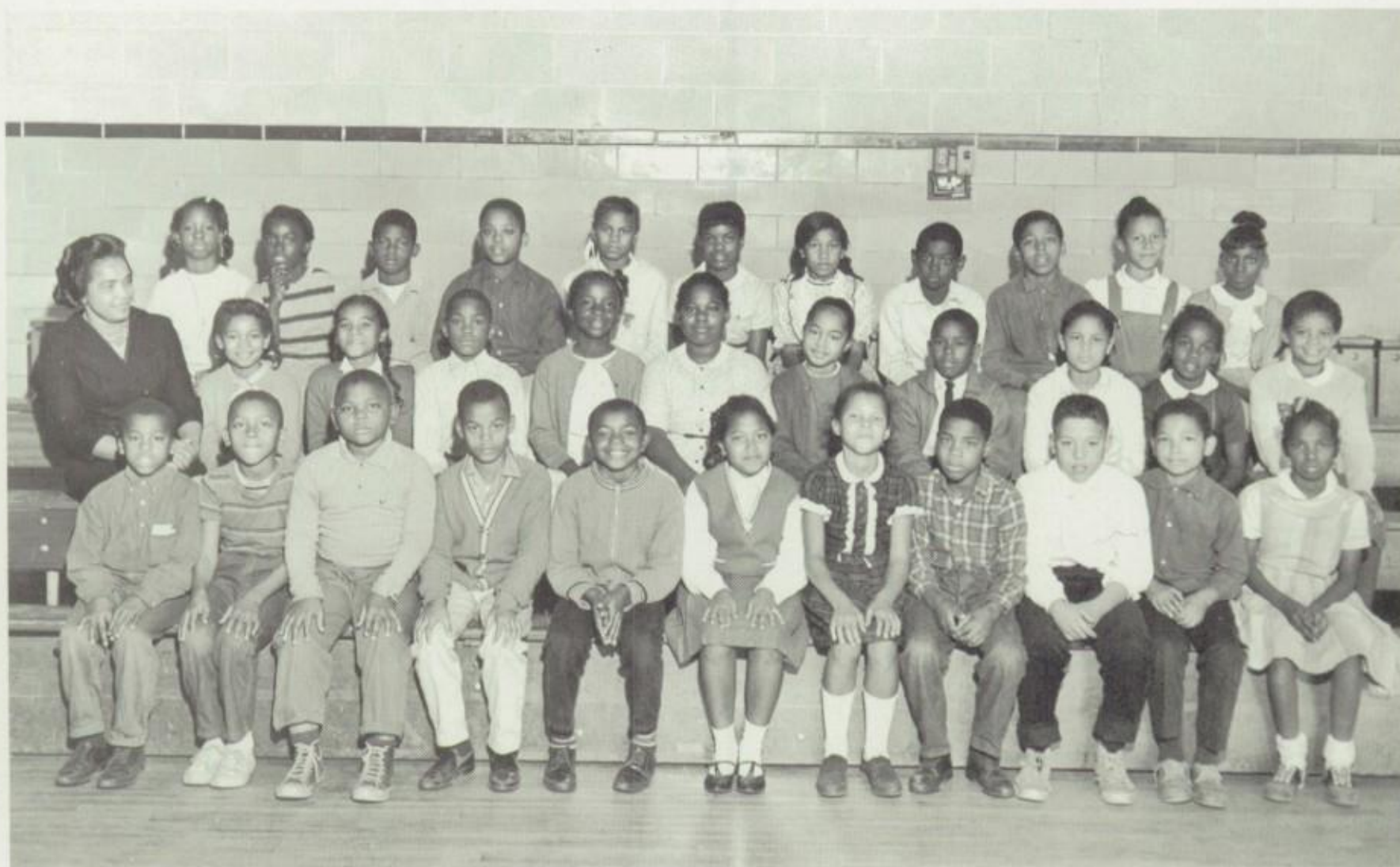


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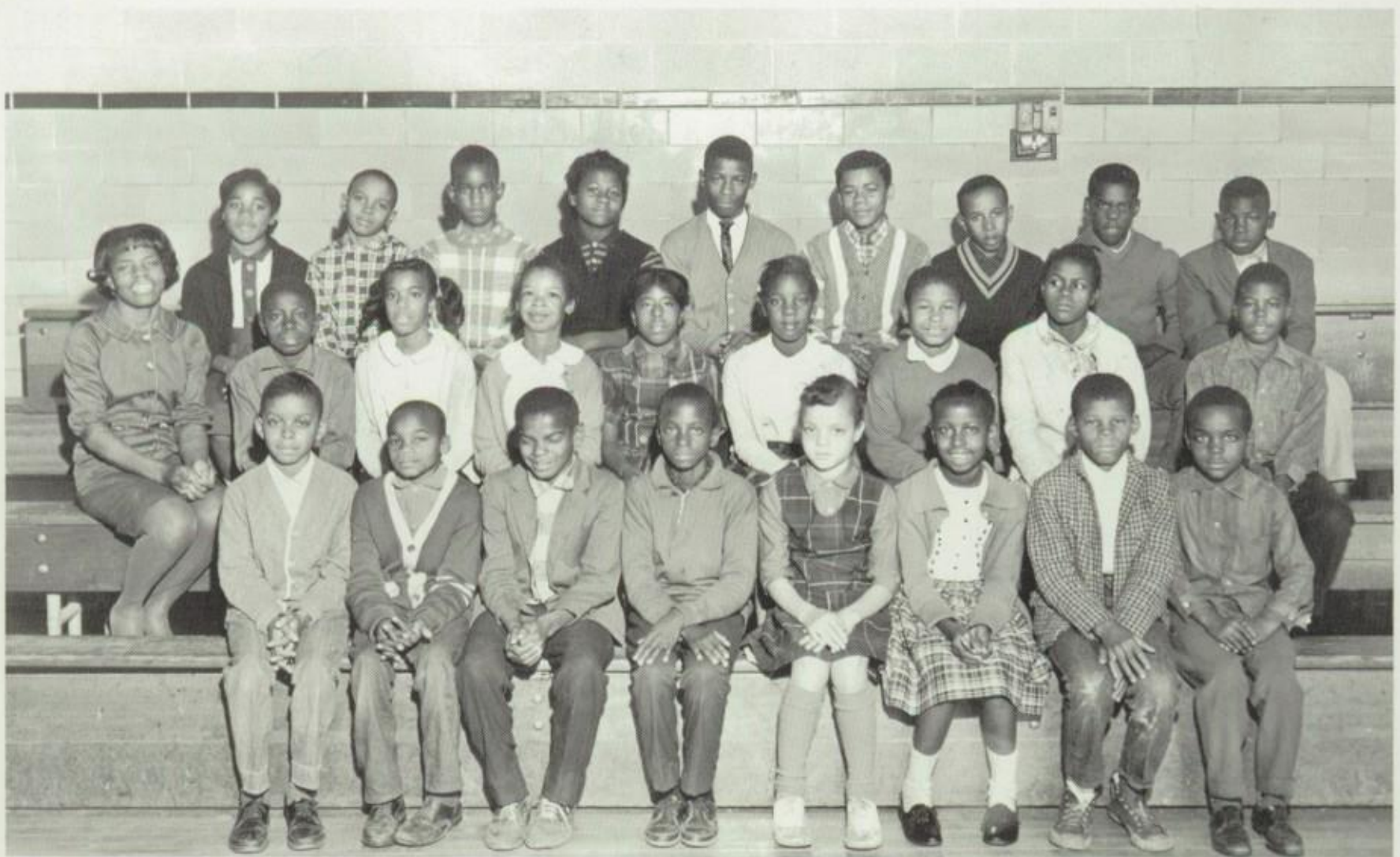


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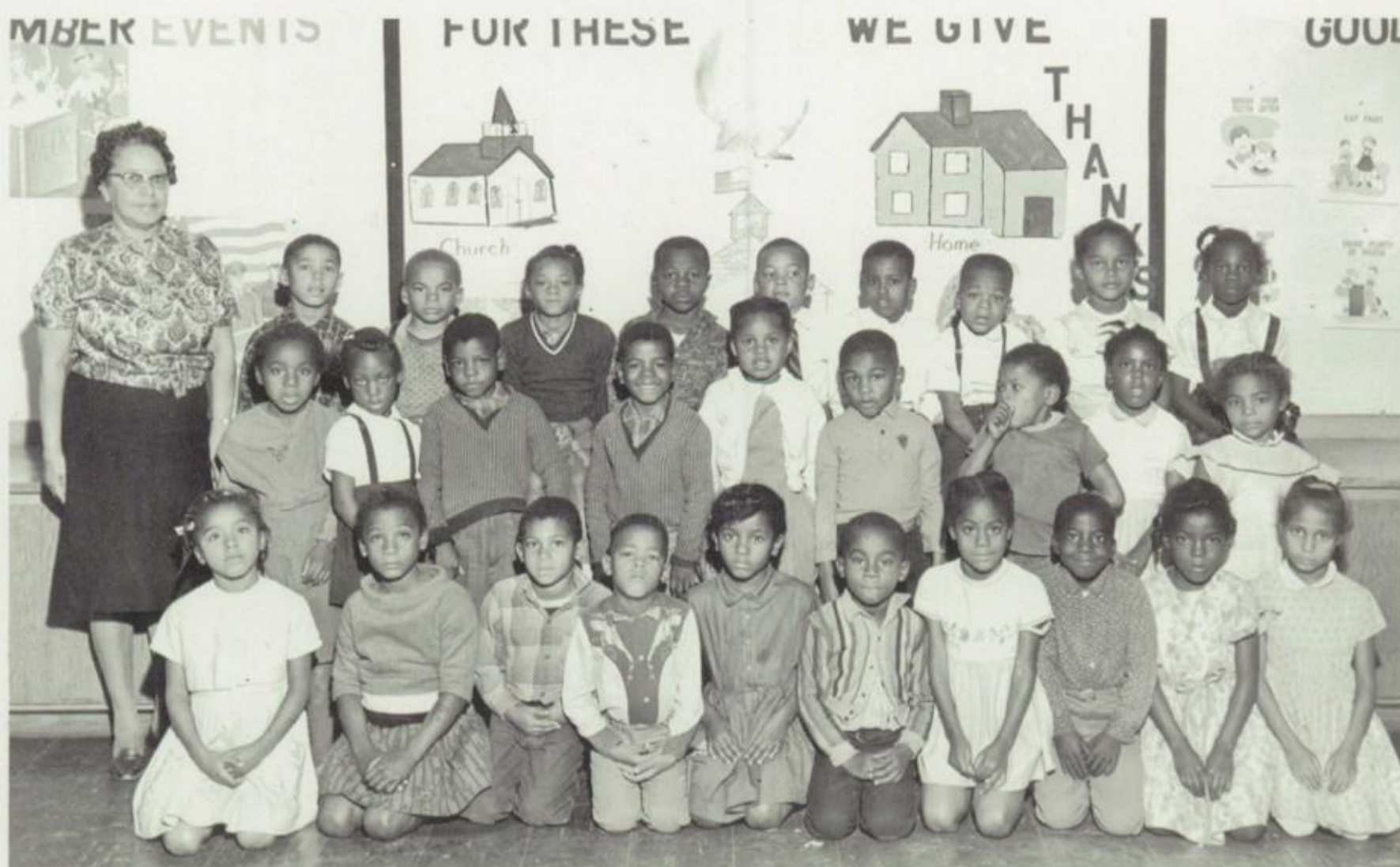


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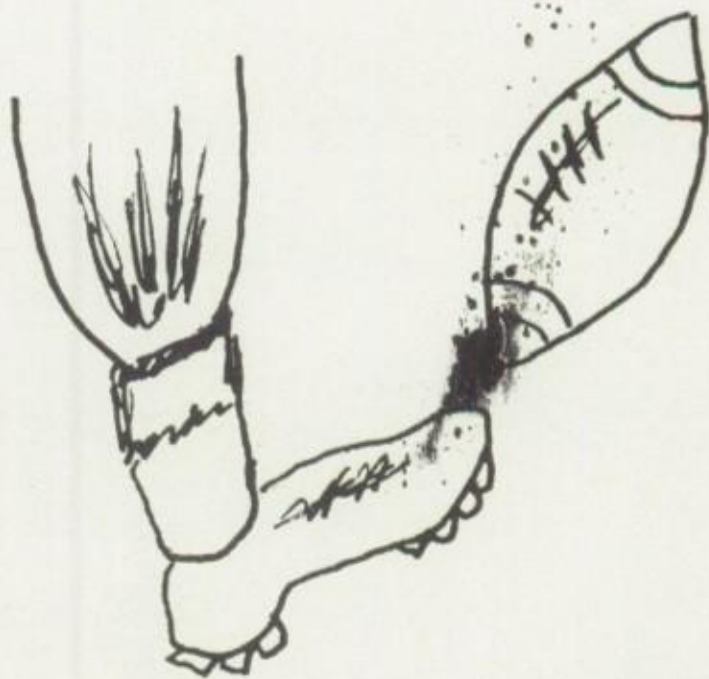
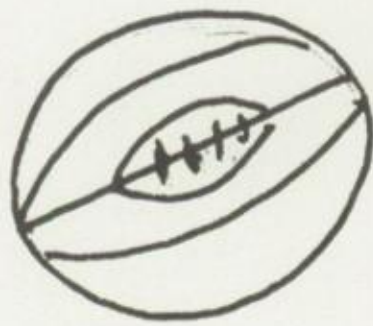
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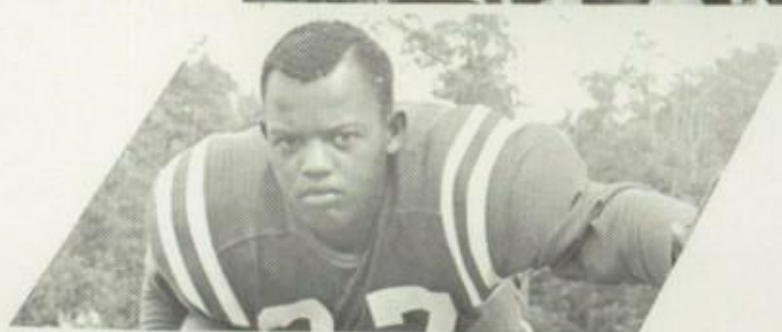
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May you continue to be an inspiration in the lives of other students at Wright. We shall miss you. Please think of us as we leave your shelter to seek our various livelihoods. Thanks for all you have given us. Remember always, we love you.

The Senior Class
Joyce Coles
Editor-in-chief

Class Prayer

Almighty God, as we come to the end of our cherished days at Wright, we pray that Thou will enlighten our hearts and minds with Thy knowledge from on high. O God, help us to grow spiritually each day as we go forward to develop into mature men and women. May we never forget Thy divine strength and love for us. Shower Thy blessings upon our teachers and parents and all institutions of learning. Give us Thy wisdom to carry on our many endeavors. Help us to always remember, "Prayer is the key to Heaven, and faith unlocks the door". Amen.

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